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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS:

The final Office Action dated June 18, 2008 concluded as follows for the subject application:

- Claims 23-25 are rejected under 35 USC 102(b) as anticipated by Klemens (US 6,239,755);
- Claims 1-22, 27-33 and 35-36 are allowed.

This paper cancels claims 23-25, which leaves pending only allowed claims 1-22, 27-33 and 35-36, none of which are further amended by this paper. Entry of this after-final amendment is respectfully requested as it puts the application in condition for allowance. See 37 CFR 1.116 (b) (1) and MPEP 714.12.

The Applicant thanks the Examiner for the thorough examination and now respectfully request that after entering this after-final amendment the remaining claims 1-22, 27-33 and 35-36 be passed to issue. The undersigned representative welcomes the opportunity to resolve any matters that may remain, formal or otherwise, via teleconference at the Examiner's discretion.

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